



# Mosquito Control Program Overview

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# Program Objectives

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- Reduce the mosquito population in the City through habitat reduction and larvae control
- Decrease the risk of West Nile Virus (WNV) transmission
- Increase education & awareness of mosquito-related diseases



# Program Overview

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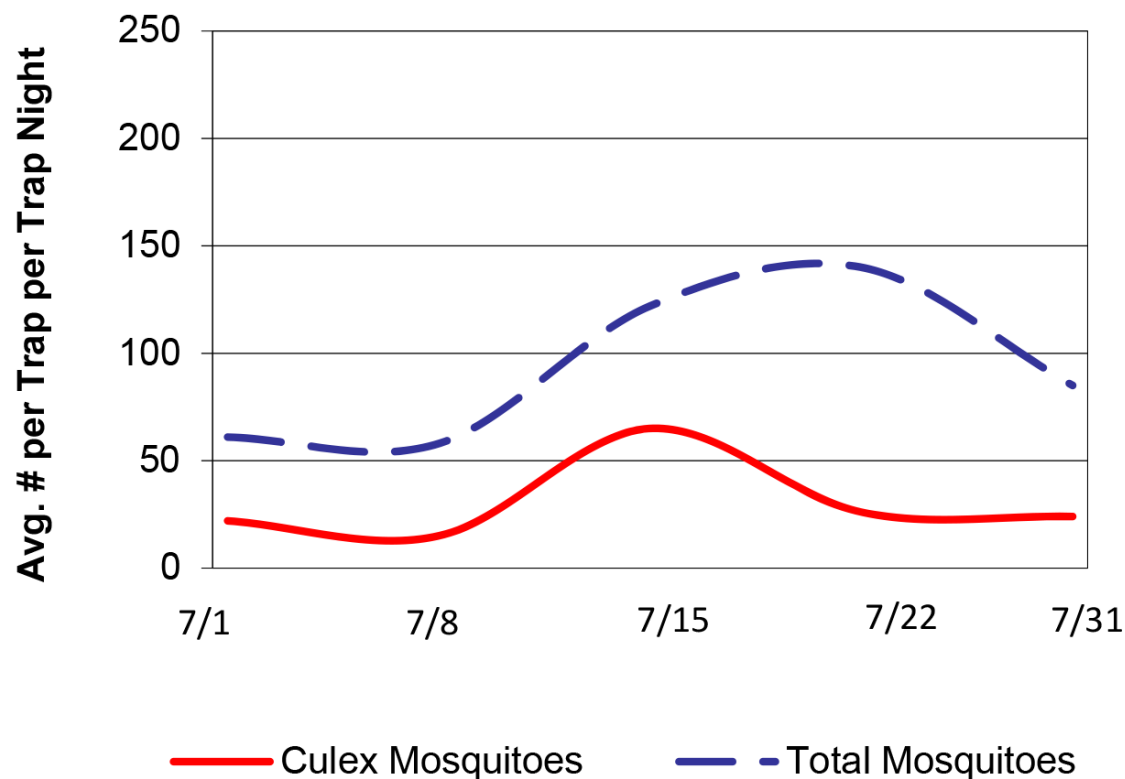
The City contracts with OtterTail Environmental, Inc. to:

- Identify & monitor potential breeding spots
- Treat known locations
- Trap & analyze adult mosquitos
- Monitor for the West Nile Virus
- Respond to calls to the hotline at **(303) 273-2878**



# Monitoring & Communicating Results

**Weekly Adult Trap Counts of All Trap Stations**



Note:  
Culex species  
mosquitoes  
are those that  
are most  
likely to carry  
West Nile  
Virus (WNV)



# Resources

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Citizen Hotline: **(303) 273-2878**

City website:

- <http://www.c3gov.com/index.aspx?nid=1105>
- Monthly reports
- [www.fightthebitecolorado.com](http://www.fightthebitecolorado.com)

**Colorado West Nile Virus Help Line: 1-877-462-2911**

Open 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. daily



# Prevention Measures

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Remember and practice the four **D**s:

- **D**EET: use DEET-enhanced insect repellent
- **D**ress: in long-sleeves and pants
- **D**usk to **D**awn: avoid the outdoors from dusk until dawn
- **D**rain: drain standing water outside your home





# Questions

